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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

These remarks are responsive to the Office Action of 7 April 2005. Please amend the above-identified application as indicated herein:

Written Request Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)(3):

Please accept this authorization to treat any concurrent or future reply that requires a petition for extension of time for its timely submission as though the reply incorporates a petition for extension of time for the appropriate length of time.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper and include 7 attached pages of clean substitute specification and 8 pages of substitute specification marked to show changes.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 6 of this paper and include 4 attached sheets replacing the sheets containing Figs. 1 through 10.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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